



HENNESSEY, HORSEY & HULL.

This Firm Has Established Headquarters in the Stock Exchange for Office-seekers.

It Is a Sort of Overflow from the Great Northern Gathering of Bosses.

Perry Is Said to Be Backing Horsey Now and Will Land Him Sure.

Whether He Will Land Him a Winner or Not Is Quite Another Matter.

Horsey Patton is a happy man. His great marble saloon, with the famous lunch attachment, in the cellar of the Stock Exchange is now said to have the powerful influence of Perry A. Hull behind it.

This means Hennessey also. Hull is with Hennessey. Horsey is with Hull. And, therefore, if you are with Hennessey you will be welcome at Horsey's. Horsey has been promised a good job.

After Marty Madden, Perry Hull, Davy Shanahan, and Danny Hogan have had their share, Horsey Patton will get his. He is talked of for several good positions in the gift of the Governor-elect, but he has not yet decided as to which one he will take.

Perry A. is his backer, and Perry A. will see to it that Horsey is provided for.

Horsey is a winner. Perry A. is ready money. That is in Hennessey circles.

The bosses have it all fixed, "when Hennessey fills the chair."

Perry A. Hull will dispense the patronage.

Dan Hogan will run the Railroad and Warehouse Board.

Marty Madden will be United States Senator.

Davy Shanahan will be Insurance Commissioner.

Horsey Patton will get the sidewalk space.

Silver Service Paddock will endeavor to bring about a revival of the Legislative good things of 1897.

And the people will get soup.

How much money does the city get from Horsey Patton for the use of the space under the big wide sidewalks on La Salle and Washington streets? All of Horsey's private rooms are located under the city sidewalk. So is the palatial bar. Where does the city come in? How much does it get out of it?

Reeves' managers intend to hold meetings in every ward in the city in their endeavor to secure Cook County delegates to the State Convention.

Does Hennessey patronize the Horsey Patton saloon for his lunch when he is in town? If he doesn't, Hull may get mad.

Thousands of West-Siders are talking of honest Andrew J. Graham for Drainage Trustee. He can have the nomination if he wants it.

John T. Connelly would make a useful member of the School Board.

People will save time and trouble by paying their taxes to the Town Collector, Collector Salomon, of the North Town, reports heavy collections daily. His office in the North Side Turner Hall, 250 North Clark street, is now open for business.

The Municipal Voters League was guilty of a mean outrage when it neglected to endorse Ald. Neagle.

Who discovered Nourse, of the water office, anyway?

The Lincoln Park gardener has made Clark street a plague spot between North avenue and Center street by cov-

ering the grass on both sides of the grand walk with hundreds of loads of night soil. It can be smelled blocks away.

Just now, when the taxpayers of Chicago are groaning under their heavy burdens, up jumps Nourse, the alleged head of the water office, and starts out a force of men to reassess the people who pay water taxes and to make them give up more money for the tax-eters.

If the civil service law is responsible for Nourse, of the water office, it ought to be repealed.

Mayor Harrison is not responsible for Nourse, the alleged head of the city water department. It is pretty hard on nature to have to assume the responsibility for the fellow. Nourse and his Ears attended the meeting of the Ironquels Club last Saturday night. Hardly had the club been called to order when Nourse and his Ears arose and commenced a long, loud speech in favor of free silver. He was not allowed to finish. The Democrats present shut him off finally with effective cries of "Hire a hall!"

The voters of the First Congressional District will stand by Hon. James R. Mann and re-elect him to Congress, notwithstanding the machinations of "Marty" Madden and the "Maddening" clique.

Hon. Frank Wenter is urged to run for Congress in the Fourth District. Mr. Wenter has served ten years on the Drainage Board, and his friends say his experience in sanitary matters would make him a valuable member of the national assembly in view of expected deep waterway legislation.

Democrats of the Sixth Congressional District talk of George W. Clausen for Congress. Mr. Clausen is a resident of the Twenty-first Ward and a member of the Board of Education. He is popular among the German-Americans of his district, and it is thought would make a strong race against Mr. Boutell, who defeated Emil Hoeche in 1898 by only 521 votes. Mr. Clausen is a brother-in-law of Judge Brentano, who is supposed to be allied with Mr. Boutell, and it is figured that his candidacy would bring about a peculiar situation in the district. Congressman Boutell, however, voted against the \$2 Federal tax on beer and has maneuvered in various ways to make himself popular with the German-Americans. His prospective foe is well-known in Chicago German-American circles and is reputed to have been a schoolmate of Emperor William.

Henry W. Leman, of the Twenty-fourth Ward, is being urged by his friends to stand for the nomination of Probate Judge on the Republican ticket this fall. Mr. Leman is general manager of the Chicago Title and Trust Company and lives in the Twenty-fourth Ward. His candidacy is regarded as dangerous to the re-nomination of John A. Linn, Clerk of the Superior Court. Mr. Linn is County Committeeman from the Twenty-third Ward.

William Peacock, an attorney, is being coached by the Democrats of the Twenty-seventh Ward as candidate for Alderman to succeed Ald. Butler. Henry Wulff, former County Clerk and one time State Treasurer, is the leading Republican candidate. In the Twenty-first Ward Jacob Yondorf is announced

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Robert S. Cabbell, a colored Democrat in the Third Ward, is being urged by the colored voters of that district as an Aldermanic candidate in this hopelessly Republican ward. It is believed the nomination of a colored man will divide the Republican vote.

Francis J. Sullivan, of the Twelfth Ward, representative in the General Assembly from the Second District, is a candidate for renomination, and is on the slate for the place.

Mr. Louis Lukes, who formerly owned the Chicago Stock Exchange Restaurant, is doing a splendid business in his new Budweiser Cafe, corner State and Madison streets.

Democrats say Fred Eldred is a certainty for a Sanitary Board nomination if he wants the place.

N. H. Fairbanks, Linn H. Young, Henry Spiegel, John C. W. Rhode, Col. C. R. E. Koch and Frank Thomas are among the candidates for the Republican nomination for the Legislature in

the Fifth Senatorial District. These candidates are nearly all from the Thirtieth-second Ward.

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P. J. Solon is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative in the Legislature from the Thirtieth Senatorial District.

John E. Owens, of the Twelfth Ward, an assistant in the office of the city prosecutor, is a candidate for State Senator in the Second District.

Republicans of the First Primary District of the Fourth Ward met at 3727 Cottage Grove avenue Wednesday night and endorsed Ald. Jackson for renomination. The principal members of the district club are: W. E. Tagg, Art Welch, Thomas N. Turner, G. W. Brister, John H. Finch, W. X. Quinn, W. W. Maxwell, Alex. Cook and Ward B. Sherman. G. W. Brister was elected captain of the district organization.

The Elgin Board of Trade, claiming to represent "40,000 farmers in the northern part of the State, interested in dairying," has adopted resolutions declaring that the election as Governor of "a man possessing the ideas expressed by Judge Haney regarding the oleomargarine question would be a disaster" to the dairying industry.

Cook County Republican opposition to Judge Haney's candidacy for Governor is taking the form of placing another Cook County Republican in the field for the office. Monday it was common talk among Republicans that Judge O. N. Carter was to be asked to stand as the candidate of that element in the Cook County Republican party which is opposed to the methods used by the "big four" in delivering 500 delegates to Judge Haney. Judge Carter would say nothing of the report, but one of his close friends said:

"Judge Carter would have been a candidate long before the love feast had been listened to the counsel of his friends. At the love feast Hull, Madden, Patton and others got together in a little room in the hotel and agreed to deliver the Cook County delegation to Judge Haney. That kind of politics naturally stirred up trouble in Cook County. Judge Haney may be a first-class man, but that's no reason why

the Republicans of this county should be tied up in a bundle and handed around as half a dozen men may decide. We do not know whether Judge Carter will consent to be a candidate, but if he does he will have a following which will show the State at large that the Republicans of Cook County cannot be delivered. Judge Carter has as much right to be a candidate as Judge Haney or Walter Reeves; if the Republican voters of the county at their primaries decide Judge Haney is the best man all right and good, but they should have the right to make the selection themselves."

As announced last week, Republican town and aldermanic primaries will be held Feb. 7 and the conventions the 8th. Senatorial county and State delegates will be elected May 3 and the County Convention held May 4. Congressional and Senatorial conventions will be held May 8. Final action fixing these dates has been taken by the County Central Committee.

Congressman Walter Reeves has arrived from Washington and will stay in the State for a week or more looking after his candidacy. He denies an alliance with Senator Cullom or State Senator Busse. He declares there is no absolute delegation for any one man is absolutely without foundation and should deceive no one. I feel confident of the support of a substantial number of delegates from Cook County in the coming State convention."—Galesburg Republican-Register.

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Republicans Object to Being Driven to the Polls Like Sheep in the Shambles.

The Eagle has been looking through its exchanges for Hull et al. criticism. It subjoins the result:

Judge Carter is highly esteemed wherever known and represents the best element in politics.—Alton Telegraph.

It is certain that should Judge Carter be a candidate Grundy County Republicans would willingly do anything they can do to further his success.—Morris Herald.

Judge Carter is not being manipulated by the machine, but when it comes to working the wheel within a wheel Carter knows how to run a political twine binder as well as the best of them.—Ottawa Journal.

Judge Carter's advent as a probable contestant for gubernatorial honors coming on top of Busse's candidacy for State Treasurer has given the Cook County "Big Four" a bad case of heart disease.—Paris Beacon.

Judge Haney received a chilly reception in St. Clair, Monroe and Randolph Counties last week.—Paris Beacon.

Judge Carter seems to be the coming man for the Republican nomination for Governor.—Peoria Herald-Transcript.

Judge Haney, of Chicago, candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor, is looked upon as the candidate of the machine and is being opposed in rural districts.—Danville Press.

There seems to be a well-grounded suspicion gyrating through the minds of the people generally all over the State that the Haney boom is being engineered principally by Tanner men.—Fairbury Blade.

It is announced in the Chicago papers that Judge Carter will be a candidate for Governor. This ought to make politics lively in Chicago between now and the time for holding the primaries.—Decatur Herald.

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